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The relevance of the attached references is that this is the closest art of which Applicant is aware. The Examiner may find co-pending U.S. Ser. No. 10/065,734 relevant to the examination of the present application.

Applicant submits that the above references taken alone or in combination neither anticipate nor render obvious the present invention. Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully requested.

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